

Environmental Protection Agence 1701 First Avenue, Maywood, IL. 60153

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May 24, 1984

Safety Kleen Corp. 655 Big Timber Road Elgin, Illinois 60120

Gentlemen:

A recent inspection of your site revealed apparent violations of the Illinois Environmental Protection Act and/or violations of the Rules and Regulations of the Illinois Pollution Control Board. The purpose of this letter is to inquire as to your position with respect to the validity of the Agency findings and also your plans to correct the apparent violations. For your convenience, we are enclosing with this letter a copy of our most recent inspection report. The apparent violations noted in our inspections are as follows:

Pursuant to 35 Ill. Adm. Code 725.135, the owner/operator must maintain aisle space to allow the unobstructed movement of personnel, fire protection equipment, spill control equipment and decontamination equipment to any area of facility operation in an emergency. On the date of the inspection adequate aisle space was not available.

Please submit in writing, within ten days of receipt of this letter, the reasons for the apparent violations outlined above, as well as a description of the steps you have instituted to prevent any further recurrence of the above-cited violations. The written response should be sent to the following address:

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency Division of Land Pollution Control 1701 So. First Avenue - Suite 600 Maywood, Illinois 60153

Attn: Mr. Kenneth P. Bechely, Northern Region Manager

Further, take notice that non-compliance with the terms and conditions of your permit or with the Illinois Environmental Protection Act and the Rules and Regulations adopted thereunder may be the subject of an enforcement action pursuant to Title VIII of the Illinois Environmental Protection Act, Ch. 111 1/2, Ill. Rev. Stat., Sec. 1001 et seq.

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If you have any questions regarding the above, please contact Mr. Kenneth Bechely at the above number.

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Kenneth P. Bechely, Northern Region Manager Field Operations Section Division of Land Pollution Control

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Enclosure: Inspection Report

cc: Division File Northern Region